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EO 11652: NA

TAGS: OEXC CI (CARRASCO, JULIO)

SUBJ: 1976 NEW IV NOMINATION

NOMINATE NEW CANDIDATE FOR 1976 IV 30-DAY GRANT:

1. JULIO CARRASCO GARCIA, DIRECTOR OF SANTIAGO OFFICE OF SOPESUR CHAIN (SOPESUR-SOCIEDAD PERIODISTICA DEL SUR). FORMERLY, NEWS EDITOR OF SAME SOPESUR. ALSO WAS NEWS EDITOR AND ASSISTANT EDITOR OF FORMER PDC DAILY "LA PRENSA" DURING FREI ADMINISTRATION, DIRECTOR AND PRODUCER OF PROGRAMS OF TV CHANNEL 9, UNIVERSITY OF CHILE. INTERNATIONAL NEWS EDITOR OF NIGHT NEWSCAST IN CHANNEL 13, TV CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY. FORMER PROFESSOR OF PLASTIC ARTS AND PHILOSOPHY, UNIVERSITY OF CHILE. PDOB; SANTIAGO, CHILE, MARCH 7, 1931. CHILEAN, MARRIED. NOT RECIPIENT OF US GOVT GRANT. NO ENGLISH. WILL NEED ESCORT-INTERPRETER. CLEARED.

2. JUSTIFICATION: HE IS THE DIRECTOR OF THE LARGEST AND MOST IMPORTANT CHILEAN PROVINCIAL NEWSPAPER CHAIN: SOPESUR. SOPESUR OWNS A CHAIN OF 7 NEWSPAPERS IN THE MOST IMPORTANT PROVINCIAL CITIES SOUTH OF SANTIAGO AND ONE IN THE NORTH, IN IQUIQUE. THESE PERIODICALS ARE GAINING INFLUENCE IN THE COUNTRY, PARTICULARLY "DIARIO COLOR" IN CONCEPCION, WHICH HAS THE MOST MODERN OFFSET COLOR TECHNIQUES. CARRASCO COORDINATES AND DIRECTS ALL OF SOPESUR ACTIVITIES FROM THE CENTRAL OFFICE IN SANTIAGO, AND HIS VISIT TO US WOULD BE OF GREAT ADVANTAGE IN HIS POSITION. SUCH A VISIT WOULD

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ALSO BE ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE POST IN ITS EFFORTS TO PLACE

PRESS ITEMS AND INFLUENCE MEDIA CONTACTS, ESPECIALLY IN THE  
SOUTHERN PROVINCES.

3. ADVISE IF ACCEPTABLE AND BEST PROGRAMMING DATES.  
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